

## Gilbert Joseph "Spark" Smith Sr.

HACKETTSTOWN — Gilbert Joseph "Spark" Smith Sr., of Hackettstown passed away Sunday, Dec. 17, 2006 at St. Clare's Hospice in Dover after a short illness. He was 83 years old and would have celebrated his 84th birthday on Dec. 30.

Born Dec. 30, 1922 in Hackettstown, he was a son of the late David and Emma Riedinger Smith.

A lifelong resident of Hackettstown, he had been retired from Picatinny Arsenal for many years. He was an Army veteran and had served in Europe during World War II.

He is survived by a son, Gilbert Jr. of Stanhope; a grandson, Todd J. Smith; and great-grandson, Zachary J. of Hackettstown; a daughter, Marcelle Mullins; a granddaughter, Jennifer of Navarre, Fla; a granddaughter, Medea Zamorsky and great-granddaughter, Madison Yuelling of Wall; a sister, Jane Hebble of Lakeland, Fla.; and many nieces and nephews.

Three brothers, Lester, David, and Harold, and six sisters, Alice Lake, Anna Oney, Hazel Sutton, Blanche Hannigan, Mabel Deumer, and Betty Young, all died earlier.

Burial and service information are still being arranged. For more info email [toddjsmith@optonline.net](mailto:toddjsmith@optonline.net).

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